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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Jöel RICHARD et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1615  
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Application No.: 10/049,186 ) Examiner: Gollamudi S. Kishore  
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Filed: February 8, 2002 )  
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For: MICROPARTICLES FOR ) Confirmation No.: 8142  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a two month extension of time to reply to the Office action of March 10, 2005. A fee of \$450.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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